

Subject: RE: PBID Meetings

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Bruce-

This is in response to all five emails you have sent me but not to your recent email to the City Attorney.

I will assume you are correct with respect to the requirements of the Brown Act and we will modify our sign in sheet accordingly. We will also instruct our pressure washer to work the rest of town before coming to the 200 blocks of 6th and 7th after 7am. As far as our record retention policy is concerned we are in the process of forming an audit committee which will look into our record keeping policy. Homelessness in San Pedro is being addressed by many service providers and our security personnel is doing "homeless service coordination" by making referrals to these agencies. Homelessness persists despite the best efforts of LAPD, the Council Office and the County; it a far-reaching problem in the city, and the Pbid remains willing and able to assist whenever possible.

As far as Hot Import Nights or any event is concerned, the streets of downtown San Pedro are not owned or managed by the Pbid, and people are allowed to submit for permits and stage events. That being said, there is a large group of merchants and property owners who have worked diligently for decades to make downtown a lively place that supports local businesses and a vibrant community. Almost all of the comments I hear are quite positive, and I have not heard from LAPD that any laws were violated. You say you speak for others so if there are other concerns please ask them to share them personally. It's impossible to get 100% of people to agree on anything, but the vast majority enjoy the events and the Pbid will continue to hold and support them.

Lastly, if you want to keep an ongoing dialog with me I am going to require you refrain from any name calling i.e. "idiotic" and refer to people by their proper name. If you can be civil I will continue to do my best to address your concerns.

Alan

-----Original Message-----

From: Bruce Ecker [<mailto:larux@pacbell.net>]

Sent: Wednesday, April 5, 2017 9:34 PM

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Alan

Per the Brown act, the sign-in sheet at the monthly meetings needs to be modified...